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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF ALABAMA

May 3, 2023

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Ex parte James Barber. PETITION FOR WRIT OF CERTIORARI TO THE COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS (In re: James Barber v. State of Alabama) (Madison Circuit Court: CC-02-1794; Criminal Appeals: CR-03-0737).

ORDER

James Barber's "Motion to Hold the State's Motion to Set an Execution Date in Abeyance or Stay these Proceedings"; James Barber's "Motion in the Alternative to Preserve Evidence of Execution Process"; and James Barber's "Motion to Compel" filed on March 31, 2022, having been submitted to this Court,

IT IS ORDERED that the Motions are DENIED.

Parker, C.J., and Shaw, Wise, Sellers, Mendheim, Stewart, Mitchell, and Cook, JJ., concur.

Witness my hand and seal this 3rd day of May, 2023.

Megan B. Rhodebeck

**Clerk of Court,
Supreme Court of Alabama**

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